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The examiner's Answer mailed June 9, 2009 did not include the following references in the "Evidence Relied Upon" section. Asakura (US 4,913,525), Kato (US 6,488,419), Verdiehl (US 5,870,417), Sidorin (7,027,469), and Mizuno et al., "100mW Kink-free Blue-violet Laser Diodes with Low Aspect Ratio," Proceeding of the 11th Sony Research Forum, 2001 were cited in the Examiner's Answer's ground of rejection. This communication is being mailed in order to correct the omission in the Examiner's Answer.

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